

IS THE FIELD OF SPORT

Troup Medal for Excellence in Curling Won by James Lindsay

VETERAN PLAYER ENDS A CLOSE SECOND

Local Club Entertains Grand Island Players on Grand Island Park

SITUATION NOT CLARIFIED

Completed Base Ball Tangle Still Unsolved—Prospects of Western League Could Not Be Brighter.

The complicated situation in national base ball affairs has not been clarified a particle during the last week and the outcome of the tangled mess is wholly a matter of conjecture.

The match at which the championship of the links for the year was decided was held on the upper lake at Hanscom park and was well and evenly contested.

"Drawing of the stone" implies the apparently simple process of sending the stone skimming along the ice to the goal with the aim to bring it to a stop as nearly as possible on the center of the inner circle.

"Chap and Lee," which signifies the task of striking a hostile stone lying in the path, pushing it to one side and reaching the goal with one's own stone.

"Raising" is a plan of increasing one's score by pushing on a stone which has fallen short by a gentle impulse from another stone.

"Guarding," the final point, is a plan of resorting to in general play when one already has a stone almost or altogether on the toe and wishes to hedge it in with his remaining missiles.

All these points were put to the test on Monday and at the conclusion it was found that James Lindsay and E. L. Porges had eight points each.

On Wednesday the curlers enjoyed another match with players from Grand Island, who had been the guests of the local club on previous occasions.

The Medical World Astounded.

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he did before he shook dice for McElvaine's good option.

PAWNPUSHERS HAVE TOURNEY

Lincoln Chess Players Decide Question of Superiority—Games Are Still Incomplete.

During the holiday week a number of the Lincoln players decided to play a series of tournament games with a view to deciding who shall be champion of Lincoln.

In the first section from the number of games finished it is impossible to draw any conclusion as to who is the "anybody" victor.

Lincoln claims that it has more chess players than any other city of its size in the west.

The following beautiful game, with a magnificent finale, the like of which we rarely meet with nowadays, was played at Philadelphia by Master George H. Terrickson.

PALEVAL OF THE PUGILISTS

McCo's Victory Over Maher in Five Rounds Surprises Sporting Kingdom—Gossip of Fighters.

"Kid" McCoy demonstrated his cleverness and scientific ability as a prize fighter in the bout with Peter Maher at Coney Island on the afternoon of New Year's day.

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neither himself nor his trainers had any fear but that the reduction of six pounds would be accomplished.

TWO LOCAL RECORDS REACHED

Young Athlete Does Clever Work at Indoor Contest of Young Men's Christian Association.

Some unusually clever work was done by the young athletes participating in the "pentathlon" contest of the Young Men's Christian Association on New Year's night.

The athletic director is making preparations for the open meet which will occur in the gymnasium on January 27.

Nothing reflects more credit to Mr. Thompson than his work in making the American Bowling Congress supreme from New York to San Francisco.

ARRANGE FOR RETURN SHOOT

Plans Nearing Completion for Shooting Carnival This Month—Kansas Citizens Will Be the Guests.

Omaha sportsmen are awaiting with an unparalleled degree of pleased expectancy the return shoot between representatives of the Omaha and Kansas city clubs.

IN THE WHEELING WORLD.

For the first time in a decade a new year opens without the familiar glow of enthusiasm in bicyclists.

EXPANSION IN GAME OF GOLF

Scotch Importation Enjoys a Growing Popularity in Its Adopted City—Astruc Surroundings.

The continued mild weather makes it practical for the Kounze Place Golf club to continue its midwinter practice and the members feel that there is no necessity of altering their style of dress during the winter months.

eighteen-hole golf course, as prior to the year of 1888 when the last six holes were added to the Shilohwood Hills course.

WEST ASKS FOR PRESIDENCY Election of Officers at American Bowling Congress Brings Out Vigorous Fight.

Local bowlers are taking considerable interest in the election of officers for the American Bowling Congress which will meet in Baltimore on Tuesday.

Mr. J. M. Heibel, 1708 South 29th street, says: "I need Doan's Kidney Pills and consider them a grand medicine for the kidneys."

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verify this fact. Many women in Brooklyn did their shopping on their wheels, but since the winter season's arrival fewer women are seen on the road.

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A MAN'S BACK

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